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## REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

1. Claims 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, and 12 are allowed.

2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Antecedent basis for a colored, transparent forming composition consisting of the compounds as recited in the base claim 1 is found on page 4 line 7- page 8, line 21 of the Specification; the best prior art of record, Nambu fails to anticipate a colored, transparent forming composition consisting of the compounds (a) – (e) as recited in claim 1; and applicant's sworn declaration, which compares Nambu's coating material and the composition of the present invention, with respect to film thickness, brush trace, color shading, hardening and ease of removal of coating, shows the composition of the present invention is superior to Nambu's composition.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Lynette T. Umez-Eronini whose telephone number is 703-306-9074. The examiner is normally unavailable on the First Friday.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Nadine Norton can be reached on 703-305-2667. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 872-9306.

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October 30, 2003

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